GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA

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COURSES OFFERED BY SMALL INDUSTRIES SERVICE INSTITUTES
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Will the Minister of SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a):Whether the courses offered by the Small Industries Service Institutes (SISIs) have failed in getting recognition from the Department of Technical Education and AICTE;

(b) : If so, the action taken by the Government in this regard; and

(c) : If not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

(SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD) MINISTER OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES & AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES

(a): No, Sir. The training courses offered by the Small Industries Service Institutes fall mainly under the category of skill development programmes for enhancing the awareness and the skills of the candidates for self-employment or for better management of operating small scale industries. As these are short-term courses, they do not come under the purview of the AICTE or the State Departments of Technical Education.

(b)&(c): Do not arise.